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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)	
	:	Examiner: Eugene Lee
MOTOKAZU KOBAYASHI ET AL.	)	
	:	Group Art Unit: 2815
Application No.: 10/662,472	)	
	:	Confirmation No.: 9615
Filed: September 16, 2003	)	
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For: PIEZOELECTRIC ELEMENT, INK JET	)	
RECORDING HEAD AND METHOD FOR	:	
MANUFACTURING PIEZOELECTRIC	)	
ELEMENT	:	November 29, 2006

**Mail Stop Amendment**

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

*Petition for Extension of Time*

Applicants petition to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated August 22, 2006, for one month, from November 22, 2006 to December 22, 2006. The extension of time fee is being paid electronically with this submission. Please charge any additional fee required for the extension, and credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account 06-1205.

*Amendment*

In response to the Office Action dated August 22, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows: